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NOTICE.

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Consent on the 12th July, 1902.
W. L. S. A. M. H. C. & SON.
Hongkong, July 16, 1902. 1490

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr
CHENG YUEH PO is authorized
to sign any and all documents on his
behalf during his absence from the Colony.
C. W. BISMARCK,
Manager.
Hongkong, July 15, 1902. 1479

NOTICE.

WE have this Day been appointed
AGENTS of the MANCHESTER
ASSURANCE COMPANY, and are pre-
pared to accept risks at current rates.
ALEX. ROSS & CO.
Hongkong, July 1, 1902. 1374

NOTICE.

WE have this Day removed our Office
to No. 16, DES VOUX ROAD
CENTRAL.
EAST ASIATIC TRADING CO.
Hongkong, July 10, 1902. 1437

MUSIC LESSONS.

MRS. J. J. LILLIE receives PUPILS
for Singing, Harp, and Piano.
Faculty, Certificate, Guild Hall School of
Music and Trinity College, 11 hours.
1 CAMERON TERRACE,
KOWLOON.
Hongkong, July 14, 1902. 1464

NOTICE.

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for the
**Taiwan Stone and Shell
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and found to be superior to any other found
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this lime. It gives an colour of excel-
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check on Plague and other pestilential diseases,
and it is invaluable for Building Purposes,
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70 lbs in the square inch breaking strength.
Orders will be received and Testimonials
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tion to
C. E. WARREN & CO.,
30 Des Voux Road Central.
Hongkong, June 16, 1902. 1273

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With Excellent Board and Lodging
at moderate terms.
No. 34, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,
HONGKONG.
KWONG SAM YU,
Proprietor.
Hongkong, July 8, 1902. 1419

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Docks, has the honor to inform the
public that he has this Day commenced
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GENERAL ENGINEERS.

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Hongkong, July 1, 1902. 1414

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Hongkong, May 29, 1902. 1227

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MISS WATLING,
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Hongkong, May 29, 1902. 1114

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Hongkong, December 27, 1901. 2263

HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM- WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

7.30 a.m. to 8.30 a.m. Every 10 minutes.

8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

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Hongkong, April 17, 1902.

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Intimations.



NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HONGKONG HARBOUR.

REFERRING to Government Notice No. 347 of 1902, the Week of the S.S. *Patagonia* is now marked by two BUOYS painted green, with "WRECK" in white letters and which will carry Red Lights at night.

Vessels are cautioned not to approach within 100 feet of these Buoys.

R. MURRAY RUMSEY,
Harbour Master, etc.,
Harbour Department,
Hongkong, July 16, 1902.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

No. 29 of 1902.

ALICE TIE.

FOR SALE the STOCK IN TRADE and EFFECTS of a GROCER'S BUSINESS at No. 10 D'Almeida Street, lately carried on by the above under the Style of H. Tie.

Offers to purchase by tender to be sent to the Official Receiver in Bankruptcy, Supreme Court, by Noon on 17th July, 1902.

G. H. WALKMAN,
Official Receiver.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SEVENTY-SECOND ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on TUESDAY, the 26th AUGUST, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
T. ARNOLD,
Secretary.

Mongkok, July 15, 1902.

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN accordance with Articles Nos. 26 and 27 of the Articles of Association of the Company, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Shares will be liable to be FORFEITED, unless the Call due on the 15th day of November, 1901, be paid, together with INTEREST at 10 per cent per Annum, at the Office of the Company, No. 13, Beaconsfield Arcade, on or before the 25th day of July, 1902.

The following are the distinguishing Numbers of the Ordinary Shares:—

711,765	1271,1370	2530,2583
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712,1385	1297,1409	2556,2609
712,1385	1298,1410	2557,2610
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MURDER!**MURDER!****A WHOLE FAMILY KILLED.****Murderer at Large. Reward \$5,000.00.****Description of the Murderer:**

Dark hair, clean shaven; height, 5 feet 11 inches; age, about 32; walks with a slight limp.
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To anyone who gives information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the murderer.

Story of the Crime:

Whereas, on or about Wednesday last, the said murderer did, with malice aforethought, lay down a quantity of Newton's Rat-Cheese, with the result that he poisoned a whole family of Rats. This is not his only crime, for he has been the cause of hundreds of other deaths through the same means.

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companies of 50 'soldiers' and the garrisons of Edinburgh, Stirling, Dunbarton, and the island of the Basse, which contained respectively 108, 38, 24, and 24 'centinels'. The pay of a foot-guardsman was 6d., and of the 'soldier' of the Earl of Mar's Regiment (now the 1st Regiment of the Line, the Royal Scots) only 5d. But a 'horseman' drew 1s. 8d. a day, and a 'dragoon' 1s. 2d. The 'centinels' of the garrisons were paid at the same rate as the foot-guards, with the exception of the men on the Basse Rock fortress, who, for unknown reasons, drew a daily pay of 8d.—From 'The Scottish Artillery', in *Blackwood*.

PROMPT ACTION

in dealing with what may be only a slight cough will often avert some more serious illness.

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is one that restores tone and efficiency to the stomach, liver and kidneys impaired through worry, overwork, climatic changes, unhealthy atmosphere, in factory or office, disease or any other cause. It promotes the thorough digestion and assimilation of food, which are the foundation of good health. Such a tonic is Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup. Mr. ALEX. COCHRANE, Esq., St. Leonards, Victoria, in a letter describing how he had for five years suffered from acute indigestion and been completely cured by Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, says: "Though it is eighteen months since I took the last dose I feel better and stronger than ever I did in my life before." Such is the power of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup.

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His Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at.
Albatross	despatch-vessel	1700	—	3000	Comdr. Seymour E. Enslin	Japan
Albatross	battleship, 1st class	12,000	16	13,500	Comdr. Walter Carey	Japan
Albatross	ship	1050	6	1400	Captain J. Starin	Singapore
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	4300	10	5000	Captain H. Cherry	Shanghai
Albatross	cruiser, 1st class	11,000	16	18,000	Captain F. H. Henderson	Japan
Albatross	gunboat, 1st class	9000	12	13,000	Lieut.-Com. F. M. Leake	Taku
Albatross	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300		Foochow
Albatross	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300		Anoy
Albatross	cruiser, 1st class	12,000	14	21,000	Captain H. M. Tudor	Hongkong
Albatross	water tank and tug	300	—	300	Master T. Passmore	Hongkong
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	6000	11	9000	Captain R. S. Stokes	Hongkong
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	320	8	200	Lieut.-Com. Godfrey	Hongkong
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	1070	10	1400	Comdr. Barton	Hongkong
Albatross	torpedo boat destroyer	300	6	5700	Fleet Reserve	Weihowai
Albatross	gunboat, 2nd class	1380	12	3200	Comdr. J. Graham	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat, 2nd class	465	4	300	Lt.-Com. G. B. Beatty-Pennell	Hongkong
Albatross	battleship, 1st class	12,000	16	13,500	Captain W. A. Carter	Japan
Albatross	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Captain Lewis Wintz	Japan
Albatross	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Lieut.-Com. G. C. Hardy	Weihowai
Albatross	storeship	1640	—	800	Fleet Reserve	Weihowai
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	3800	16	8000	Comdr. H. J. Davison	Weihowai
Albatross	torpedo boat destroyer	250	4	3500		Hongkong
Albatross	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. G. D. Dowd	Yangtze-Kiang
Albatross	ship	980	10	1400	Re-building	Hongkong
Albatross	battleship, 1st class	12,000	16	13,500	Comdr. C. W. M. Penderleath	Japan
Albatross	torpedo boat destroyer	350	6	6300	Lt.-Com. G. P. Mansel	Shanghai
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	1015	6	1400	Comdr. W. H. Nicholson	Shanghai
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	3600	8	7000	Capt. Harry C. Reynolds	Shanghai
Albatross	Surveying-vessel	835	6	650	Lt.-Com. Morris H. Smyth	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	980	10	1400	Com. D. St. J. Wade	Hongkong
Albatross	river gunboat	85	2	210	Lieut.-Com. G. G. Webster	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	380	6	1400	Lieut.-Com. W. Hamilton	Anoy
Albatross	ship	85	2	240	Lieut.-Com. Murray Lockhart	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	85	2	240	Lt.-Comdr. Worley	Shanghai
Albatross	ship	755	6	870	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	260	6	6500	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Albatross	cruiser, 2nd class	3090	11	9000	Captain F. G. Stopford	Nagasaki
Albatross	receiving ship	4000	—	—	Commodore Robinson	Hongkong
Albatross	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. R. W. Dalkey	Shanghai
Albatross	cruiser, 1st class	14,200	14	25,000	Captain Percy Scott, G.R.	Weihowai
Albatross	cruiser, 1st class	363	3	200	Temporarily employed surveying	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	980	10	1400	Comdr. Frank H. Legton	Hongkong
Albatross	ship	620	—	850	Lieut.-Com. W. O. Lyne	Newchwang
Albatross	ship	390	6	5000	Lt.-Com. C. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Weihowai
Albatross	torpedo boat destroyer	2750	4	1000	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Albatross	river gunboat	150	2	550	Lieut.-Com. Hugh Semerville	Hankow
Albatross	river gunboat	150	2	550	Lieut.-Com. Chilcott	Shanghai

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CLARETS	4.50 " 13.00
ST. LEON TONIC	21.00
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468 12, Queen's Road.

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, July 19.
Room.—Auction of Japanese Silks (As-
sorted Colours), at Mr Geo. P. Jam-
nath's Sales Rooms.
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-
ture, at Mr V. L. Remedios's Sales
Rooms.

SUNDAY, July 20.
Transfer Books of The Hongkong Ice
Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the
28th July, inclusive.
Goods per *Marine Palace* undelivered
after this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, July 21.
Goods per *Yam* undelivered after this
date subject to rent and land-
ing charges.
3 p.m.—Auction of Valuable Leasehold
Property (in Two Lots), at Mr Geo.
P. Jamnath's Sales Rooms.
Transfer Books of The Hongkong Land
Investment and Agency Co., Ltd.,
closed from this date to the 28th
July, inclusive.
Goods per *Regatta* undelivered after
this date subject to rent.
Goods per *C. Frost, Lewis* undelivered
after this date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, July 22.
6 p.m.—Meeting of the Members of the
Punk Club, at the Club Premises.
Transfer Books of The West Point Build-
ing Co., Ltd., closed from this date to
the 28th July, inclusive.
Goods per *Rangoon* not cleared on
this date subject to rent.
Goods per *Chine* undelivered after this
date subject to rent.

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Celebrated****E****BLEND****VERY OLD LIQUEUR****SCOTCH - -****- - WHISKY.**

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Per Dozen \$15.00.

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

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BIRTHS.

On the 10th July, at 22, Park Lane,
Shanghai, the wife of Capt. H. HARPER,
of a Daughter.

At Kaitang, on the 7th July, the wife of
the Rev. CHARLES ROBERTSON, London
Mission, of a Daughter (Evangeline-Joyce).

The publication of this issue commenced
at 4.45 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JULY 18, 1902.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A Steamship Record.
The *s.s. Nesa*, of London (Capt. W.
Pent), has just completed what is believed
to be a record. She has made twelve re-
turn trips to and from Moji well inside six
months, and has just entered upon her
third charter by the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

Fatal Fire at Shanghai.
The *N.C. Daily News* of the 11th inst.
says:—With reference to the fire on board
the str. *George Patton* on the 3d instant,
we learn that the fire broke out in and was
confined to the fore-peak, and all the cases
down there are now under water. On Wed-
nesday evening one Chinese stevedore was
dead and another had all the skin burnt off
him. The foreign boatman who went
down to their assistance was also in a
critical condition, but received immediate
attention at the hands of the doctor on the
gun-boat *Ted* lying alongside. It was
stated at the time that there must be other
stevedores still down in the fore-peak, but
owing to the fumes, no one could attempt
to go down again then.

An Extraordinary Verdict.
At the trial at Penang of Henry Ash
for forging the name of Mr H. H. Hudson,
the Solicitor-General, on an office bill, the
jury returned a verdict of not guilty. The
Penang Times says:—The jury after a few
minutes' deliberation found prisoner not
guilty on all counts. He was discharged
therefore, and His Lordship commenting
on the verdict said it was the most ex-
traordinary one he had heard given ever
since he had had the honour to sit in that
Court. However, prisoner, must have the
benefit of it and be discharged. The names
of the jury, of which Mr A. Sarkies was
foreman, are given: they are A. Sarkies,
Tay Eu Quee, Shauk Ismail, Benedict
Manning, Kader Mustan Said, Tay Swee
Jong, Mohamed Nordin.

The Health of Shanghai.
In his report for June, Dr Stanley,
Health Officer at Shanghai, writes:—Dur-
ing June the number of deaths among
non-Chinese was thirty-three, sixteen of
which occurred among the resident popula-
tion. Twenty cases of Cholera were notifi-
ed, and of these fifteen were fatal, five of
these being among the resident population.
Three cases of Scarlet Fever were notified.
Among the Chinese population the total
number of deaths during the month was
1,824 as against 1,192 for month. There
were 55 deaths attributable to Small-pox,
26 to Scarlet Fever and 476 to Cholera.
There was one death from Hydrophobia of
a French soldier who had undergone the
Pasteur treatment in this laboratory. The
symptoms supervened within 15 days of
the end of the treatment, i.e., from the
period in which it is recognised that im-
munity is established by the treatment.

Europeans Succumb to Cholera.
The *N.C. Daily News* of the 11th
inst. reports:—It is with very great regret
that we have to announce that Mr C. F.
Minter, of the I. M. Customs, died from
cholera at Wuhu on the 8th instant. Mr
Minter had many friends in China who
will regret his early death, and who will
sincerely sympathise with his family in the
loss they have sustained. Another victim
to cholera passed away yesterday in the
person of Mr Philip Niner, second mate of
the British ship *Elizabeth Nicholson* now
lying in the port. Mr Niner was admitted
to the General Hospital on the 2nd instant,
and hopes were entertained that he would
recover, but his death occurred as stated
above. Another foreigner was admitted to
the General Hospital yesterday suffering
from cholera, and was not expected to live
through the night. The unfortunate man
has been in Shanghai for some weeks with-
out employment or money, and has been
subsisting in a very precarious manner dur-
ing that time, actually sleeping in the gar-
dens for the last few nights. He was
taken to the Hospital by the police, and
stated that he had been employed as an
engineer on a railway. On the 14th inst.,
the *N.C. Daily News* reported:—The
Chinese Engineering and Mining Co.'s *s.s.*
Peiping, for Tientsin, returned yesterday
morning when four or five hours from
Wooching, owing to the illness of the mate,
Mr McGillicotte, it is forced with cholera.
A substitute was found, and after some
delay the vessel proceeded on her voyage.
The mate was taken to the Hospital.

A SCAR.
FROM a burn or scald is often dreaded
more than the pain that is inflicted.
Chamberlain's Pain Balm heals the injured
part in less time than any other treatment,
and unless the injury is a severe one, no
scar will be left. One application gives
relief. Try it. For sale by All Dealers;
Watkins Ltd., General Agents.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.
H. M. the Emperor of Germany left
for his trip to Norway on the 9th inst.

A number of the men belonging to the
Royal Horse Artillery stationed at Shang-
hai are down with dysentery.

General Antheil or Firmin, the leader
of the Northern party, has been elected
President of the Haytian Republic.

The Royal Horse Artillery expect to
leave Shanghai on or about the 1st of
August, in the British transport *Clio*.

Good News.

There were no cases of plague reported
in the Colony during the 24 hours ended
yesterday. This is the first blank return
for months.

Well-Merited Punishment.

An Indian, who was convicted at
Singapore Assizes the other day of throw-
ing vitriol in a European's face, permanent-
ly injuring him, has been sentenced to
penal servitude for life. The European
was the Indian's superior at the Municipal
Abattoir, and had reported him for mis-
conduct.

Breach of Quarantine Regulations.
To-day, at the Magistrate's, before Mr
Kemp, J. Ogato, master of the *s.s. Daijin
Maru*, was fined \$100, with the alternative
of fourteen days' hard labour, for neglect-
ing to go into quarantine after arriving in
the waters of the Colony from Amoy, a
port at which an infectious or contagious
disease prevailed at the date of his leaving.

Music at Hongkong Hotel.

By kind permission of Major Berger
and Officers, the Band of the Hongkong
Regiment will play at the Hongkong
Hotel to-morrow (Saturday) evening, from
8 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.:—
March: "The Gladiator" (Sousa).
Selection: "Marguerite D'Anjou" (Meyerbeer).
Selection: "Reminiscences of
Offenbach" (Winterton).
Selection: "A Greek Slave" (Jones).
Fantasy: "The Gipsy" (Adam).
Divertimento: "Scottish Melodies" (Akerman).
GOD SAVE THE KING.

Concert at Kowloon.

The threatened typhoon interfered
considerably with the success of the Concert
given last night in the Sailors' Institute,
Kowloon. The concert was organised by
the Misses Holmes, in aid of the recent
repairs, &c., to the building. The audience,
however, was larger than might have been
expected under the circumstances, consist-
ing, as it did, almost entirely of Kow-
loonites. Those who were hardy enough to
brave the severity of the weather were
well rewarded in the excellent bill of fare
presented to them, although two or three
vocalists from Hongkong were deterred
from facing the dangers of the briny deep.
Miss Grey and the Misses Holmes sang in
excellent style "Three Little Maids from
School," and kindly responded to an
encore. Mr Grey's flute solo was
well received. "The Flight of Ages"
was sung by Mr Palmer in his usual
good style, and he responded to an
encore, and subsequently filled a vacant
place on the programme to the satisfac-
tion of the audience. Miss Holmes as a
lady banjoist secured a decided success in
her solo "Apollo March." Mr Ireland con-
tributed to the hilarity of the proceedings
by singing "That Girl's Mouth" and
other humorous songs. The *piece de resis-
tance* of the evening was a farce entitled
"Poor Pilloody," which was rendered in
a style as near perfection as is possible by
amateurs. Mr Pilloody (nurseryman)
was represented by Mr H. K. Holmes,
Capt. O'Scuille (master mariner) by Mr
Grey, Mr Pilloody by Miss L. Holmes, Miss
O'Scuille by Mrs Grey, and Sarah (mid-
dle-of-all-work) by Miss Holmes. All played
their parts well. For the benefit of those
unable to be present, the entertainment
will be repeated to-morrow (Saturday) night
at 9 o'clock, when it is to be hoped
there will be a large gathering. Mr Mc-
berley was an efficient accompanist.—*Con-
tributed.*

A French court has decided that a man
has no right to make his wife obey his or-
ders. In other countries it is a question of
ability rather than right.

During the time when it was a craze with
fashionable women to think that they
were hospital nurses, the South African
hospitals being full of them, one very
fashionable woman was given a wounded
man to attend to. On looking at her
patient, she became very indignant. "I
must have a dark man," she said angrily.
"Can't you see I am a blonde?"

THREE men were travelling in a railway
carriage in France with an old lady. They
asked her if they might smoke. She
replied that it was not a smoking carriage
that she did not like tobacco, and, in short,
that they could not. Thereupon one of
them drew a revolver and aimed three shots
at her, which fortunately, though they did
not know it, did no damage. It is an
admirable illustration of the proverb that
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Electric Dangers in Calcutta.
Messrs. Kilmarn & Co., Managing
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Water Polo.

A one-sided water polo match was
played in the Shield ties at Kowloon yester-
day afternoon when the Royal Welch
Fusiliers by 10 goals to nil defeated the
Royal Garrison Artillery, 89th Co. The
Referee was Mr H. W. B. Kennett, and
the Umpire Mr F. D. Bain. The following
were the teams:—

R. W. F.—Goal, T. Whitney; back, J.
Doodson; half-backs, F. Colman and H.
Andrews; forwards, C. Gregory, A. Monk,
and J. Roberts.
R. G. A.—Goal, Corporal Chinnery;
back, Gunner P. Duncan; half-backs,
Gunners T. Stokes and E. King; forwards,
Gunner Reeves, Lt. A. Fenshaw, and
Bombardier F. Elms.

An Amusing Incident.

To-day, some amusement was created
at the Supreme Court while names were
being called for the jury to sit in a case be-
fore the Criminal Sessions. The name
"Archibald Ritchie" was called. Mr Rit-
chie, Des Voeux Road, stepped forward
briskly and took his seat, followed a
second later by Mr Ritchie, of Dodwell and
Co. They looked at each other for a mi-
nute—the one smiling in the thought that he
had as much right to be called "Archibald
Ritchie" as any other person, and the other
looking anything but pleased. There was
confusion for a little, and then Mr Kyshe,
the Registrar, put matters to rights by in-
timating that it was Mr Ritchie of Dodwell
and Co. who was wanted. This, it may be
mentioned, is not the first time that these
gentlemen's names have clashed.

The Drowning of an Engineer.

We are now able to give the following
particulars concerning the death by drown-
ing of Mr T. E. Robson, chief engineer of
the German tug-boat *Bismarck*, says the
N.C. Daily News of the 11th inst. The
Bismarck, a tug-boat built by Messrs. Farn-
ham, Boyd and Co., for the German au-
thorities at Tientsin, was being taken up to
Tientsin to be handed over to her owners.
At 5 p.m. on the 3rd instant, when the
boat was about 150 miles north of Shaoi-
shan, Captain McDonnell, who was on the
bridge at the time, heard a noise, and
looking aft saw that there was a man
overboard. He immediately had the boat
turned round and stopped. A rope was
fastened round a sailor, who jumped over-
board and recovered the man. When the
man was got on board, it was found to be
Mr T. E. Robson, the chief engineer.
There was a bad cut on the side of the head,
as though he had struck against the screw,
and life was almost extinct. Everything
possible was done to restore animation, but
without success, and deceased was buried at
sea at 8 p.m. the same evening, the weather
being hot and there being no place to keep
the body. One of the firemen saw the de-
ceased fall overboard, and noticed that he
had a screw plate in his hand at the time.
When the accident occurred a light north-
easterly wind was blowing, and there was
an easterly swell. The ship was rolling a
little at the time. We understand that the
deceased has lately been subject to fits, and
this is the probable explanation of the
accident.

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TELEGRAMS.

[REUTERS' SERVICE.]

THE LEADERSHIP OF THE LORDS.

LONDON, July 16, 1902.
His Grace the Duke of Devonshire stated
in the House of Lords that Lord Salisbury
had desired him to undertake the leader-
ship of the House of Lords.

THE KING OF ITALY IN RUSSIA.

H. M. The Tsar and the King of Italy
have reviewed 32,800 troops at Krasnoyarsk,
the Tsar leading his own regiment just the
King of Italy.

MR CHAMBERLAIN'S PROGRESS.

Mr Chamberlain continues to progress
favourably. The bulletins have now
ceased.

THE TRANSVAAL GOVERNOR-SHIP.

Sir Arthur Lawley, K.C.M.G., Governor
of Western Australia, has been appointed
Lieutenant Governor of the Transvaal.

THE FRENCH AT SHANGHAI.

Viscount Cranborne states that Sir
Ernest Satow, British Minister at Peking,
will shortly report on the whole question
relating to the French position in the
International Settlement at Shanghai.

THE ECLIPSE STAKES.

And Patrick is lame, and has been
scratched for the Eclipse Stakes.

[TIMES-MERCURY SERVICE.]

IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

LONDON, July 12.

The Maharajah of Kolhapur, speaking at
the Empire Banquet on Friday, said that
this was the first occasion on which repre-
sentatives of the King's Indian Empire and
the leading statesmen of the great self-
governing Colonies had been brought to-
gether by common enthusiasm. They felt
that they all stood as one indivisible body,
and the Maharajah added that India, like
the great Colonies, felt that Mr Chamber-
lain's name stood for everything that tend-
ed to promote that unity, the interests and
honour of the whole great British Empire,
of which India was proud to form a part.

AFFAIRS IN THE PHILIPPINES.

MANILA, July 12.

The Vatican in replying to Governor
Taft's proposals with regard to the disposal
of the Friar lands, refuses to recall the
priests within the period fixed by Gov.
Taft, declaring that such recall would be
unjustified and contrary to the stipulations
of the Treaty of Paris, and would be plac-
ing the Holy See in conflict with Spain.
The Vatican, however, promises to intro-
duce clergy of other nationalities into the
islands, and agrees to the sale of the
ecclesiastical lands.

[DEE OCEANIC SERVICE.]

**INSURRECTION IN BASUTO-
LAND.**

BERLIN, July 10.

An insurrection of the natives is reported
to have taken place on the frontier of Basu-
toland.

OBITUARY.

H. H. the Duchess Friederike of Anhalt,
the widow of the last member of the house
of Anhalt-Bernburg, died at Ballenstedt,
aged 91 years.

GERMANY AND MACAO.

BERLIN, July 11.

Reports are again published by the Press
that the sale of Macao to Germany is im-
minent, but they are officially declared to
be absolutely unfounded.

TERRIBLE MINING DISASTER.

News has been received of a great cata-
strophe in the Pennsylvania mining dis-
tricts. Three hundred people are missing.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The following notice is issued by the

Hongkong Observatory:—

On the 18th at 5.30 a.m. Typhoon prob-

ably about 200 miles South of Hongkong,

moving North West. Strong N.E. to S.E.

gale expected. Gun fired.

At 11.30 a.m. The typhoon to the

Southward appears to be moving North

wards and likely to approach the neigh-

bourhood of Hongkong. It may pass to the

Eastward of the Colony, in which case the

gale will be from North and West.

A telephone message from the Obser-

vatory via Central Police Station states

that the Black Cone, has been taken down

and the Black Drum hoisted, signifying

that the typhoon is passing to the East-

Vessels Advertised as Loading

1. The first step in the process is to identify the problem or issue that needs to be addressed. This involves gathering information and understanding the context of the problem.

	<i>Agents.</i>	<i>Date of</i>
	Butterfield & Swire	July 29.
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	Molchers & Co.	July 24.
	Molchers & Co.	August 7.
	Butterfield & Swire	August 2.
	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	July 20.
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	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	September.
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	Butterfield & Swire	July 25.
	Butterfield & Swire	July 22.
	Butterfield & Swire	August 5.
	Butterfield & Swire	September.
	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About July.
	Butterfield & Swire	August 1.
	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About July.
	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	About July.
	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	July 12.
	Messageries Maritimes	About July.
(s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 23.
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	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	About July.
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	Dodwell & Co. Limited	About July.
	Sheewan, Tomes & Co.	About July.
(e)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 25.
	P. & O. S. N. Co.	August 19.
	Portland & A. S. Co.	July 19.
	D. Slesson, Sorens & Co.	July 19.
(u)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	July 23.
	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	July 27.
	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	July 20.
(h)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	July 30.
	Butterfield & Swire	July 22.
	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	July 20.
	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	July 19.
	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About July.
	P. & O. S. N. Co.	August.
	Butterfield & Swire	July 26.
	Canadian P'ac R. Co.	August 2.
China (s).	Canadian P'ac R. Co.	July 20.
	Dodwell & Co. Limited	July 22.
China (g)	Canadian P'ac R. Co.	August.

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10000 \$	10 \$	5	\$62, ex div., buy
10000 \$	10 \$	10	\$212, sellers
10000 \$	50 \$	50	\$220, sellers
10000 \$	12 1/2 \$	12 1/2	\$1, buyers
10000 \$	10 \$	1	\$89
10000 \$	10 \$	1	\$175, buyers
10000 \$	50 \$	5	\$40
10000 \$	10 \$	7	\$294, buyers
10000 \$	71	all	\$12, buyers
10000 \$	25	all	\$242, \$40
10000 \$	50 \$	20	\$173, sales
10000 \$	50 \$	5	nominal
10000 \$	50	all	\$145, buyers
10000 \$	10 \$	10	\$174, sales & buy
100 Tls.	100 Tls.	100 Tls.	\$3
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10000 Tls.	180 Tls.	100 Tls.	\$45, sellers
10000 Tls.	500 Tls.	500 Tls.	\$180
1000 \$	20 \$	10	\$10
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1000 \$	20 \$	20	\$21, buyers
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